

ANTI-BRITISH END PILGRIM MEETING

Women Lead Disturbance
When British Anthem Is
Sung at Celebration.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Police were called to Carnegie hall last night to clear a crowd of men and women who forced their way into the building during the centenary celebration of the landing of the Pilgrims.

The intruders, carrying banners with anti-British inscriptions, caused great disorder with shouts of "Hurrah for America! Down with England!"

The disturbance reached such proportions it was impossible for the speakers to continue, and it was decided to adjourn the meeting without further attempt to complete the program.

A group of women who said they were members of an organization known as "The American Women Pickets for the Enforcement of America's War Aims" led the intruders. Some of the banners they carried bore the names of British delegates to the centenary celebration, and characterized them as "British spies."

The disturbance started when the British anthem, "God Save the King," was reached on the program. Several boys and girls in the chorus of the musical program left the stage, saying they would not sing the number and that they did not know it was on the program.

Two men, wearing United States army uniforms and carrying the American flag, also left the stage. When the piano and organ that accompanied the chorus broke into the strains of the British anthem, shouts arose in various parts of the hall. The instrument continued, however, and part of the chorus and audience started singing the words of "America." At the same time many of the chorus left the stage.

When the music stopped, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, tried to speak, but his voice was drowned in the uproar, and he gave up the attempt. The meeting then was called off immediately afterward several of the women went to Mr. Gompers and apologized for interrupting his speech, they said the demonstration was not directed at him. Mr. Gompers made no reply.

Secretary of State Bainbridge Colby was scheduled to speak, but he had not arrived when the disturbance began. Mrs. Gertrude Corlies, president of "The American Pickets," declared after the meeting broke up that "this organization knows there is a plot to make the United States a part of the British empire, and that this Sullivan institution is a party to it."

The chief motive for the demonstration, the women pickets said, was a protest against "inviting American girls and boys into singing the British national anthem," which, they said, was "a treasonable act."

Members of the chorus who either had left the stage or refused to sing the British anthem, gathered in front of the auditorium after the meeting.

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and sang "America," led by some of the picket leaders and joined by many men, who said they were war veterans.

British delegates attending the celebration were greeted with derisive shouts when they pursued through a path made in the crowd by the police.

Some of the girls said they had been asked to sing at the meeting tonight and consented. They attended rehearsal, they added, and did not know that the British anthem was to be sung. Many children, with Boy Scouts and Camp Fire girls, were in the second balcony.

One of the banners carried by the pickets, but which was kept furled, bore the inscription, "Don't Speak, Mr. Colby—Remember the English Plundered Benedict Arnold." The pickets said there was no occasion to show the banner when Mr. Colby failed to appear.

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FILES BANKRUPTCY PLEA.

M. E. Gillis, merchandise broker, 188 South Main street, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in federal court late Wednesday, through his attorney, Milton B. Rose. Mr. Gillis has been in business in Memphis for 10 years. He lists miscellaneous liabilities in the sum of \$19,765.81.

Contents Of Stew Brings Knife Play

Willie Franklin wanted chicken. Instead he says that Andreas Poles, proprietor of a Jefferson street lunch room, offered him a stew. In court each charged that the other seized a knife with deadly intentions during the argument that followed. Both were bound over to the state.

PRIEST FINDS OIL.

ROME, Sept. 29.—Abbot Vincenzo Fucci, parish priest at Cerasimo, has discovered what he believes to be a vast oil field extending from the gulf of Taranto to the gulf of Salerno, near Naples. The priest says the source of the oil is in the Apennine mountains in the province of Potenza, the poorest province in Italy. He describes his discovery as "colossal reservoirs of oil." The government has taken control of the oil fields.

TRIAL POSTPONED.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Sept. 29.—The trial of C. C. Mims, accused of being one of the bandits who robbed the Guaranty State bank at Graham Sept. 6, was postponed yesterday until March 15.

TWO CIVILIANS KILLED.

BELFAST, Sept. 29.—Two civilians were shot dead and a number of persons were wounded during a clash between soldiers and a crowd on the Falls road late yesterday.

Salter Rans Wild On Typewriter In Telling Of Stella

"Stella," the famous painting which was considered the feature of the exposition at San Francisco, is again in Memphis and is being exhibited as a feature attraction with Johnny J. Jones exposition at the Tri-State fair.

Just to keep his hand in, Ed R. Salter, the press agent for Johnny J. Jones exposition, sat down and wrote the following little tribute to the painting:

"More words are cold, colorless things with which to convey to you any idea of the wonderful fidelity with which Nani has transferred to canvas this magnificent model of glowing womanhood. Imagine, if you can, entering the chamber of an angel among women, lying on her couch in all the grace of perfect nudity. Her head, dainty and proudly borne, crowned with hair of Tuscan gold, such as Titian liked to paint, slumberous, soulful eyes with blue parting over pearly teeth in a

smile that lures like Lurline song. A body that Pygmalion would have kissed into warm breathing life—that is "Stella." Stella, the bewitching, the idyllic, the dreamy, the goddess of a poet's dream, the physical expression of all that is lovable in womanhood. Her left arm—such an arm as might tempt an Anchorete into the mesh of its caresses, falls gracefully over the opalescent flesh of her divine body, the left leg,

probing as if with the warm blood of life, has been painted with such a witchery of art, that one might almost discern the delicate blue veins beneath the skin. Such flesh tones can be achieved only by masters,

and where could a master find such a model? When nature created her masterpiece, the result was woman. When woman reached her highest dominion of physical loveliness—Stella fired an artist's soul with a

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This Refinery is the first and only enterprise of its kind in this section. Representing, including equipment, an investment of \$400,000 and doing an annual business which will aggregate around \$3,000,000.00, it is a distinct addition to the industrial life of Memphis.

Seven States owns one hundred railroad tank cars in which crude oil is being transported to Memphis in trainloads of twenty-five cars each, from the Louisiana oil fields. The first train, the initial shipment of a recent purchase of five hundred carloads, is now on the refinery's tracks, and the oil is being pumped into the big storage tanks. Gasoline, kerosene, lubricants and fuel oil are now being made and sold on the Memphis market.

The Seven States Oil Company, organized in May, 1919, with a capitalization of \$1,000,000, is essentially a Memphis enterprise and has more than 2,500 stockholders, to whom the opening of the Memphis refinery is like a dream come true, and many of whom will attend the formal opening today.

In addition to the refinery, the company owns producing wells in Burkburnett, Texas, and is drilling a well which is now 2,950 feet deep in the Amarillo field, where it also holds title to 44,000 acres of leases.

Seven States products will be marketed through the Seven States Products Company, a separate corporation, but under the same management and organized for the purpose of providing a certain and immediate outlet for all the refinery products. Filling stations have been established in Memphis on Union Avenue and opposite the Chisca Hotel, and in Jackson, Tenn. Distributing stations are either now in operation or have been planned for a number of Tennessee and Kentucky towns. Many other such stations will be established.

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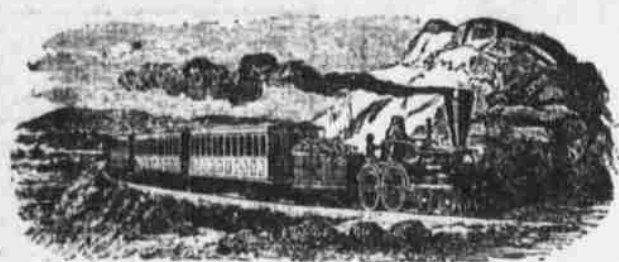
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First Railroad to Little Rock

From an official time table, published in 1870. At that time there was no bridge across the Mississippi and passengers were carried over on ferryboats.

Fifty Years Ago Today

Items of news reproduced from the Memphis "Public Ledger" and the "Avalanche" of September 30th, 1870.

A large consignment of cotton continues to arrive daily by the railroads and steamers.

Brooks & Company, wholesale grocers, etc., are now in full blast at their new store, No. 298 Front Street.

George Wilkes, a member of Emerson's minstrels, died at the Overton Hotel yesterday morning.

H. T. Tomlinson, Esq., the popular insurance agent, has returned from a trip East.

Grand Italian Ball, October 12th, next Wednesday night week.

The Confederate Relief and Historical Association met last evening at the Second Circuit Courtroom. President Isham Harris in the chair.

Col. A. S. Mitchell has recently come back from a tour East.

Judge J. O. Pierce has returned from a visit to Wisconsin.

Dr. R. W. Creighton, the well-known physician, reached Memphis today from Hot Springs, where he has been practicing for several months past. He reports that the visitors at that celebrated resort are rapidly leaving for their various homes.

Newton, Ford & Company are removing their extensive stock from their old stand in the Lee Block to McGivney's new building on Union Street, between Main and Second Streets.

In looking over the bills for divorce recently filed, one finds the "same old story" in almost every one. A faithful, loving husband complains of the faithless wife, while the faithless wife complains of the harsh treatment of an undeserving husband.

Fifty years ago today Mr. J. Goldsmith and his brothers were completing arrangements for the opening of a small general store in Memphis that was destined to develop into one of the largest department stores in the entire South.

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